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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Willner et al. :
Serial No.: 09/593,076 : Group Art Unit: 2828
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For: A LASER SYSTEM AND METHOD OF OPERATION HAVING IMPROVED
SIGNAL CONTINUITY AND SAFETY

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of December 17, 2003, allowing all pending claims, subject to a Restriction Requirement, please enter the attached "Response to Restriction Requirement Under 37 CFR 1.142", filed January 6, 2004, and amend the claims as follows: